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IMPORTANT GROUND TAKEN BY BRITISH ENEMY DEADLOCKED ON MANY POINTS OF BATTLE

Russians, Rumanians and Germans Suffer Heavy Losses in Many War Arenas

(By Associated Press.)

BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE (Copyrighted, 1916, by the Associated Press), Oct. 16.—Completing the capture of the Schwaben redoubt, on the ridge above Thiepval, the British took prisoners for every yard of front, or 280 for a front of less than 300 yards, not to mention a number killed in the artillery preparations and the hand to hand fighting before the survivors surrendered. The Germans managed to entrench those in the reserve dugouts, who could hardly have been crowded into one line back of the parapet. This gives an idea of the importance attached by the Germans to this last bit of high ground along the old trench line south of Ancre, on Thiepval ridge, for which there was desperate resistance. It is characterized as the most precious two acre plot in France.

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON (official), Oct. 16.—The Germans last night made a heavy attack on the newly won positions of the British in vicinity of the Schaben redoubt. The Germans were repulsed with heavy losses.

German Positions Penetrated

(By Associated Press.)

PARIS (official), Oct. 16.—Continuing attacks on the Somme front, the French penetrated the German positions at Sully-Saillies and Sully-Saillies. The Germans violently counter attacked. Fighting is still progressing. The French occupied houses on the edge of the road to Baupaupe.

Rumanians Forced Out

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Oct. 16.—The Rumanian second army in its retreat in Transylvania. (Continued on page four)

TWO NEGROES LYNCHED AND THEN BURNED

(By Associated Press.)

PADUCAH, Ky., Oct. 16.—Two negroes were lynched by a mob and their bodies burned. One was charged with attacking a white woman and the other was accused of voicing approval of his actions.

The lynchings came after five hours of labor to enter the cells of the jail. They were the result of an attack Friday upon Mrs. George Rose at her home in the suburbs. A mob gathered after hearing that the police had arrested Brack Finley, answering to the description of the assailant. While Finley was taken on the road home the cavalcade encountered Asa Thornhill, who was reported to have lauded Finley's act. He was also seized. While Finley was being identified, Thornhill, pleading for his life, was hanged. Finley was hanged to the same tree. Several shots were fired through the bodies. The mob gathered a quantity of wood and built a fire. They placed the bodies of both negroes thereon and then dispersed.

ALLIES' NOTE DOES NOT FULLY MEET DEMANDS

United States Must Be Restored to its Full Rights as a Neutral Power Before the World

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Examination of the allies' note on the censorship of mails, made public this morning, has brought a feeling among officials that it does not satisfactorily meet the protests set forth in the American note of May 24, which said that "only a radical change restoring to the United States its full rights as a neutral power, will satisfy this government."

The state department has watched with interest, however, the informal arrangements made by British authorities through their trade department and through such conferences as that of Sir Richard Crawford in New York recently, and is understood to feel that resentment among American citizens over the allied censorship has been greatly lessened. It is thought unlikely that any reply will

be made in the three weeks before election.

All the information reaching the department is understood to indicate that the allies have determined to maintain the firmest attitude on the subject, feeling that absolutely vital interests are involved. Officials are said to feel, therefore, that any further positive step by the United States might bring the controversy to a much more critical stage.

Secretary Lansing declined last night to discuss the mail seizures negotiations.

The cases are another outcrop of the litigation in connection with Judge Dayton's decision that the United Miners formed an unlawful conspiracy in its organization operation. The defendant members of the union were found guilty of inciting miners to leave or refuse employment.

RUMANIANS CONTINUE OFFENSIVE TO SOUTH

North of Thiepval and South of the Somme Gains Are Being Made By the Allied Forces

(By Associated Press.)

Although Rumanians in northeast Transylvania continue to retreat before the Austro-Germans, from this region, all along the battle line to the vicinity of Orsova, at several points, by violent counter attacks, they have gained an advantage.

Bucharest admits retirement of the Rumanian forces in the Kaliman mountains, but says farther south infantry of the Teutonic allies were put to flight. Successes also were obtained by the Rumanians in the Oltuza and Pui valleys. On both sides of the Spedek pass Rumanians continue on the offensive, but Berlin says their attacks have been repelled.

In the Carpathians the Austro-Germans have recaptured the height of Smotrec. In Volhynia violent fighting has broken out. Petrograd says that north of Korytniza the Russians captured a German trench. Along the Stokhod, says Berlin, Russian attacks were repulsed.

German trenches in the neighborhood of the Stiff and Schwaben re-

doubts, in the Thiepval region of France, have been captured by the British, and with them more than 300 prisoners. Near Guiscard the British also have slightly advanced their line.

Berlin admits that the British north of Thiepval gained a firm hold on the German trenches, but that the French south of the Somme have won a footing in the sugar refinery at Genemont. The French in Saturday's fighting in the Ablaincourt-Belloir sector made 1100 German prisoners.

Serbian troops have advanced along the left bank of the Corna river, while the French have cut the railway line south of Sere.

Gains for the Italians against the Austrians in the Carso region of the Austro-Italian theater are recorded by Rome.

The convoking of the Greek chamber of deputies which was to have taken place Saturday has been postponed for a month by decree of King Constantine.

STRONG MOVEMENT BY TROOPS OF CARRANZA

(By Associated Press.)

ATLANTIC CITY, Oct. 16.—The American members of the international commission told that "Thousands of the best troops of Mexico are being taken to Chihuahua and Durango for an extensive campaign, which is expected to become evident shortly in service movements, leaving either Villa's isolation in the mountains without a force of any size or his destruction." Later the statement was issued: "Mexican commissioners believe this movement will materially assist a settlement of the problems which the joint commission is attempting to solve. Mr. Carranza's belief is that the work of the commission will be helped by definite and strong prosecution of this campaign and obtaining tangible results."

WILL GET DAMAGES OF THE POWER COMPANY

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—The United States court of appeals has refused a rehearing in the case of P. R. Sheaff of Fairview, Nevada, against the Pacific Power company. Sheaff will collect the judgment of \$15,000 awarded him in the lower court. He was employed by the company and came into contact with a wire carrying 50,000 volts. He lived, although 1700 volts is said to be fatal.

PRESIDENT ADDRESSES "WILSON VOLUNTEERS"

(By Associated Press.)

LONG BRANCH, Oct. 16.—The president delivered a political speech to 200 members of "Wilson Volunteers," from New York, who came to discuss campaign problems with him. Most of the delegation are described as "independent Democrats," and some Progressives. Many planned to make campaign speeches in behalf of the president.

CHICAGO UNIVERSITY IN CHAMPIONSHIP LINE

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 16.—Championship aspirations are budding in the camp of the University of Chicago football eleven as a result of its victory over Indiana Saturday.

The triumph re-establishes Chicago as a strong candidate for the western conference honors, although critics agree that Minnesota still has the edge. The Maroons were 50 per cent improved over a week ago.

The defeat of Indiana means its elimination as a possible contender for the "Big Nine" championship honors. The game was the only one on Saturday's schedule having any bearing on the conference title.

ACTIVE CAMPAIGN PLANNED

(By Associated Press.)

ATLANTIC CITY, Oct. 16.—Luis Cabrera, chairman of the Mexican commission, placed before the American-Mexican joint commission a statement from Arredo containing assurance that his government planned an active campaign against Villa.

GOVERNMENT RECOGNIZED

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The entente allies have formally recognized the provisional government of Greece in the island of Crete set up by former Premier Vissios.

MR. HUGHES SPENDS QUIET SABBATH DAY

(By Associated Press.)

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 16.—Charles E. Hughes spent Sunday in Lincoln resting. He went in the forenoon to the First Baptist church and heard a temperance sermon by the Rev. Samuel Batten, who urged the congregation "not to forget while voting for Mr. Hughes to vote also for the prohibition amendments," in Nebraska.

The nominee expected to go for an automobile ride yesterday afternoon, but rain prevented.

Mr. Hughes left Lincoln this morning to conclude his campaign in this state. He will spend the day traveling, making short addresses at Hastings, Grand Island, Columbus and Fremont, and will reach Omaha at 5:45 p. m., where he will make a night address.

Leaving Omaha early tomorrow morning, Mr. Hughes will go into South Dakota and Iowa.

NEW YORK FACING A SHORTAGE OF COAL

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—There is a coal shortage in prospect this winter for New York, according to dealers, stating that bins are being depleted and shipments delayed. The outlook for eventual relief is poor. The shortage applies to both hard and soft coal. Failure to receive the usual amount of coal is attributed to the scarcity of labor at the mines and lack of cars for transportation.

TWO STEAMERS AGROUND

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—The steamers Senator and Princess Alice are both aground, according to dispatches received at the Merchants' exchange. The former is at Double Reef bluff, on Widy Island, Puget sound. The latter is at Seymour narrows, in Puget sound.

LABOR LEADERS SENTENCED

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The supreme court has refused to review the convictions of four labor leaders in the 1913 West Virginia coal strike. They were sentenced to six months' imprisonment for contempt of court for failing to obey an injunction by the federal district judge.

WILL DEDICATE THURSDAY

(By Associated Press.)

EL PASO, Oct. 16.—The dedication of Elephant Butte dam will take place Thursday noon, it was announced after a meeting of the executive committee of the international irrigation congress.

DELAY CAUSED DEATH SIR ROGER CASEMENT

(By Associated Press.)

LONG BRANCH, Oct. 16.—A letter from Secretary Tumulty to Michel Francis Doyle, attorney for Sir Roger Casement, contained a denial that the American government was negligent in its efforts to save Casement from being executed after conviction of treason. It was made public today. It replied to a letter from Doyle saying that the sister of Casement received no information from London that her brother's life might be spared had the resolution urging clemency, adopted by the United States congress, been forwarded to the British foreign office more promptly.

MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT

(By Associated Press.)

EL PASO, Oct. 16.—At the opening session of the international irrigation congress President Richard F. Burges read a personal message from President Wilson conveying his greeting and expressing "deep and constant interest in the important work where in the congress is engaged."

MANY PRISONERS TAKEN

(By Associated Press.)

BUCHAREST (official), Oct. 16.—Repulsed Austro-German attacks in Transylvania have occurred. Many prisoners were taken.

TEN PEOPLE ARE KILLED IN END-ON COLLISION

Burlington Stock Train Crashes Into Caboose Crowded With Men--Signals Are Mistaken

(By Associated Press.)

ELWOOD, Neb., Oct. 16.—Ten men were killed, fatally crushed, and eleven others seriously injured when a train on the Burlington railroad crashed into the freight caboose in which they were riding, twelve miles east of here, yesterday morning. Five other men, standing on the rear platform of the caboose, saw the approaching train soon enough to jump to safety. One other man in the caboose cupola was thrown clear of the wreck and escaped injury. The trains in collision were sections of a regular stock train. Lack of lights and warning signals is given by survivors of the collision as the cause of the accident. All the victims are residents of Nebraska towns of west-

ern and central parts of the state, most of them farmers or stockmen. The dead:

W. H. Merrill, Wallace. Adam Miller, Rain. William Kinlock, Holstein. G. S. Kronley, Maywood. J. J. O'Connor, Elsie. William Zanton, Venango. J. C. O'Byron, Wallace. W. O. Hannis, Somerset. William Sullivan, Wallace. William Hart, Elsie.

The trains in collision were the second and third sections of No. 156. The third section plunged into the second. The second section had some trouble with hot boxes and had

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NO PROTESTS ARE YET LODGED BY JAPANESE

(By Associated Press.)

TOKIO, Oct. 16.—Admission was made at the foreign office that the Japanese government had instituted an inquiry into the granting by the Chinese government of a concession for the reconstruction of part of the grand canal in Shantung province to the Siemens-Caroy company of St. Paul, Minn.

Japanese officials declared no protests had been lodged by Japan against the Americans railroad project and it was added that the future action of the government could not be discussed.

CARRANZA FAMILY FLEE FROM MEXICO CITY

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The reported flight of the Carranza family from Mexico City is described by Secretary Lansing, who said the state department had information of the family going either to Saltillo, their old home, or Queretaro, the provincial capital seat of the convention on September 21.

BABY ELKS GIVEN A DELIGHTFUL BAPTISM

One of the largest classes ever initiated by Tonopah lodge, No. 1062, B. P. O. Elks was inducted into the order Saturday night and Sunday morning. After a portion of the class had been given the degree there was a midnight cabaret luncheon served, when the work of initiation was continued. A part of the class was given the work by the Goldfield degree team, there being twenty or more brothers over from the gold camp. In addition to the published list of novitiates was George I. Barnett of Round Mountain.

Yesterday a number of the visiting members and novitiates were escorted through the mines, while open house was kept in the home. Last evening the big banquet was served, and it was piping hot. There were 250 covers laid. Fred Penn, the exalted ruler, officiated as toastmaster. A number of witty and eloquent addresses were made. The principal speakers were Hugh H. Brown, H. H. Atkinson, Anthony Jurich, Frank T. Dunn, George H. Sheldon and Isaac Blair. Music was furnished by the Rathskeller orchestra, solos being given by Mrs. Soller-Hanby and Mrs. A. R. Neth.

The menu for the banquet was: Manhattan cocktail, toke points, ripe olives, sweet pickles, consommé, Waldorf salad, calves' sweet breads, a

NO ACTION TAKEN ON THE WAGE QUESTION

Two meetings of the mine and mill workers of Tonopah were held yesterday in Miners' union hall, one at 2 p. m. and the other at 7. They were well attended. Eighty-seven enrolled themselves at the afternoon session and 160 at the evening meeting.

A communication was received from the Tonopah Mine Operators' association. The gist of it was: Inasmuch as wages were not reduced when silver was at its low ebb, they did not see why they should raise them at this time.

The communication was tabled until such time as all the mine workers and millmen of the district could be organized. The new local, known as the Mine Workers' union, will hereafter meet every Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Organization will be perfected at the next meeting.

Representatives of the electricians, carpenters and machinists working for the mining companies said they would stand with the mine workers in their movement.

WILL LAY KEEL

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The keel of the superdreadnought California, building at Mare Island navy yard, will be laid October 25, the navy department announced today.

BODY TAKEN TO COAST

The remains of the late Mrs. Grover Youngs were taken to Berkeley on yesterday morning's train for interment. The body was accompanied by Mr. Youngs.

la marenco, stuffed young turkeys, cranberry sauce, French peas, creamed mashed potatoes, tutti frutti ice cream, cheese, crackers, nuts, raisins, coffee, champagne and cigars.

BUTLER THEATRE TONIGHT

Double Bill—A Special Attraction RAY HOSMER

Repeating his versatile Musical Act, Supported by Four-Piece Orchestra Good—Don't Miss It—Good

Pictures

"THAT SORT" A Picture that will stir every woman to the depth of the heart.

Pathe News, Showing President Wilson as he accepts the Lincoln Farm for National Relic

Tomorrow Cleon Ridgely and Wallace Reid in "The Love Mask" Burton Holmes Travel Pictures

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

	1916	1915
5 a. m.	46	42
9 a. m.	49	49
12 noon	60	54
2 p. m.	63	58
Relative humidity at 2 p. m.	today, 29 per cent.	